# Overview from FEMP's Sustainable Federal Fleets Program





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#### Overview



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# FEMP's Sustainable Federal Fleets Program



#### Mission:

Assist Federal agencies with meeting or exceeding requirements for reducing fleet petroleum consumption

- Understanding and meeting Federal requirements
  - Guidance
  - Handbook
  - FAST system maintenance, upgrades, and training
- Analysis and tools
  - Fuel consumption dashboard (FleetDASH)
  - Geographic analysis of fleet fueling patterns, for facilitating development of new alternative fuel infrastructure

# FEMP's Sustainable Federal Fleets Program



- Technical assistance
  - Alternative fuel vehicle selection and placement (NOVA)
- Education and communication
  - federalfleets.energy.gov
  - Federal Fleet Files e-newsletter
  - INTERFUEL working group

## **Key Resources and Tools**



- Guidance
  - Guidance on Federal Fleet Management
    - https://federalfleets.energy.gov/sites/default/files/static\_page\_docs/fleetguida nce 13514.pdf
- Handbook
  - Comprehensive Federal Fleet Management Handbook
    - https://federalfleets.energy.gov/sites/default/files/static\_page\_docs/eo13514 \_fleethandbook.pdf
- federalfleets.energy.gov
  - FEMP's Sustainable Federal Fleets website
    - https://federalfleets.energy.gov/
- Alternative Fuel Station Locator
  - AFDC, Alternative Fuels and Advanced Vehicles Data Center
    - http://www.afdc.energy.gov/afdc/locator/stations/

## The Overarching Goal



- The overarching goal: Reduce petroleum consumption
  - Why?
    - Reduce greenhouse gas emissions
      - E.O. 13514 greenhouse gas reduction targets
    - Reduce dependence on foreign oil imports
    - Insulate against price volatility of petroleum, thereby reducing costs

# Reducing Petroleum Consumption

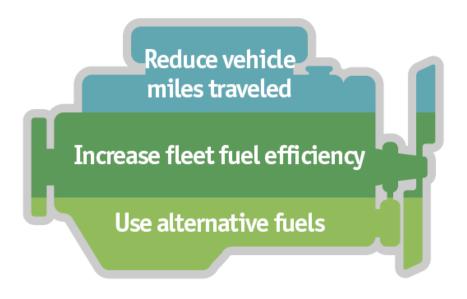


- Petroleum reduction requirements
  - Reduce petroleum consumption by 30% between 2005 and 2020 (2% per year)
    - E.O. 13423 and E.O. 13514
    - EISA 2007, section 142

# Reducing Petroleum Consumption



- Driving Principles of Petroleum Reduction
  - Reduce vehicle miles traveled
  - Increase fleet fuel efficiency
  - Use alternative fuels



### Using Alternative Fuel



- Alternative fuel consumption requirements
  - Increase alternative fuel consumption by 159.4% between 2005 and 2015 (10% per year compounded)
    - E.O. 13423
    - EISA 2007, section 142 (less stringent requirement)
  - Dual-fuel vehicles must operate on alternative fuel unless a vehicle receives a waiver from DOE
    - EPAct 2005, section 701
    - Vehicle may receive waiver if no alternative fuel within 5 miles or 15 minutes from specified vehicle location (typically garage location)
  - Covered Federal fleet fueling centers must install at least one renewable fuel pump (E85, B20 or greater, or electricity from renewable sources)
    - EISA 2007, section 246

## Acquiring Alternative Fuel Vehicles



- What are AFVs?
  - Dedicated alternative fuel vehicles
  - Dual-fuel vehicles
  - Hybrid vehicles
  - Low greenhouse gas-emitting vehicles (only where no access to alternative fuel)
  - Others

## Acquiring Alternative Fuel Vehicles



- Requirements for acquiring AFVs
  - 100% of light-duty and medium-duty passenger vehicle acquisitions must be low greenhouse gas-emitting vehicles
    - EISA 2007, section 141
  - 100% of light-duty vehicle acquisitions must be AFVs by end of 2015
    - Presidential Memorandum on Federal Fleet Performance, May 2011
  - 75% of covered light-duty vehicle acquisitions must be AFVs
    - EPAct 1992, section 303
  - AFVs must be located where they have access to the appropriate alternative fuel
    - Presidential Memorandum on Federal Fleet Performance, May 2011
  - Agencies must achieve their optimal vehicle inventory (number and type of vehicles) by end of 2015
    - Presidential Memorandum on Federal Fleet Performance, May 2011

# Acquiring Alternative Fuel Vehicles



- Strategic approach to maximizing petroleum reductions through AFV selection and placement
  - Where alternative fuel is available, select a dedicated alternative fuel vehicle or dual-fuel vehicle, and operate on the appropriate alternative fuel
  - Where alternative fuel is not available, select a petroleumpowered hybrid vehicle or low greenhouse gas-emitting vehicle

## Reporting



- Reporting requirements
  - January
    - OMB Sustainability and Energy Scorecards (for previous fiscal year)
  - February 15
    - Agency reports on compliance with EPAct requirements due to Congress and posted on public website
  - February
    - FAST
      - Results of agency vehicle allocation methodology (VAM)
        - » Due date to be confirmed for 2013
  - June
    - FAST
      - Alternative fuel waiver requests (EPAct 2005, section 701)
      - Federal fleet fueling centers (EISA 2007, section 246)
  - July
    - OMB mid-year scorecards
  - October December 15
    - FAST
      - Fuel consumption
      - Vehicle inventory and acquisitions
      - Fleet-related costs
      - Future-year planning

#### DOE Fleet Energy Performance, FY 2011



#### Petroleum reduction

- **5.16% decrease** from FY 2005 baseline (compliance threshold for FY 2011 was **12%** decrease; Federal fleet averaged 1.91% increase)
  - 0.23% increase from FY 2010 (Federal fleet averaged 1.01% increase)
- DOE accounted for 2% of Federal Government's total petroleum consumption

#### Alternative fuel increase

- **152.06% increase** from FY 2005 baseline (compliance threshold for FY 2011 was 77.16% increase; Federal fleet averaged 87.28% increase)
  - 3.81% decrease from FY 2010 (Federal fleet averaged 11.57% increase)
- Alternative fuel accounted for 18.32% of DOE's total covered fuel consumption (compliance threshold is 5%; Federal fleet averaged 3.68%)
- DOE accounted for 13% of Federal Government's total alternative fuel consumption

#### DOE Fleet Energy Performance, FY 2011



#### Alternative fuel utilization in dual-fueled vehicles

- Non-waived, dual-fueled vehicles operated on alternative fuel 59% of the time (Federal fleet averaged 19%)
  - 1,114,951 GGE of alternative fuel consumed in non-waived, dual-fueled vehicles; **3,840** non-waived, dual-fueled vehicles; annual alternative fuel consumption per non-waived, dual-fueled vehicle of 290 GGE; DOE average annual total fuel consumption per vehicle of 493 GGE
- **22%** of dual-fueled vehicles received waivers for FY 2012 (Federal fleet averaged 49%)

#### Alternative fuel vehicle acquisitions

- Alternative fuel vehicle acquisitions and credits equaled 171% of total covered vehicle acquisitions (compliance threshold is 75%)
  - 1,145 alternative fuel vehicle acquisitions and credits; 669 total covered vehicle acquisitions

#### DOE Fleet Energy Performance, FY 2011



#### Low greenhouse gas-emitting vehicle acquisitions

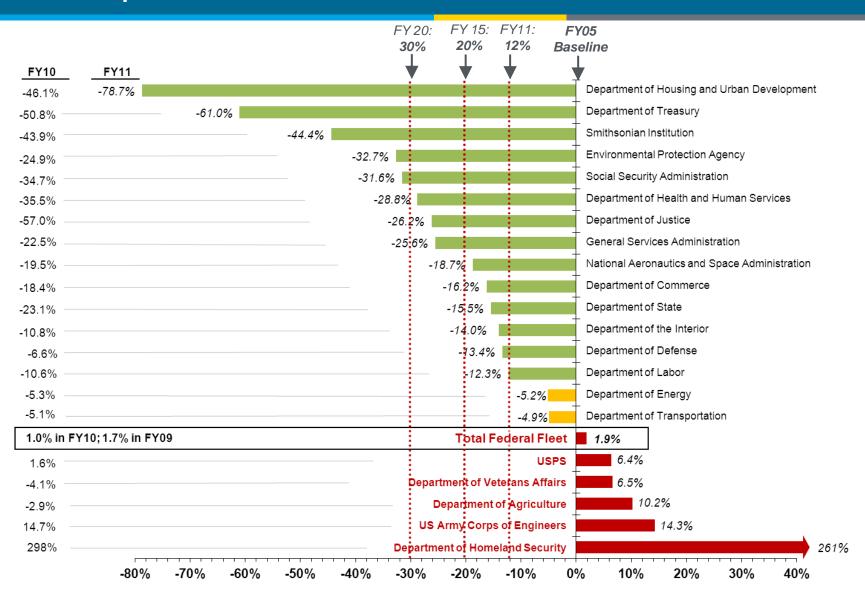
- **8.4%** of covered vehicle acquisitions were low greenhouse gas-emitting vehicles (compliance threshold is 100%; Federal fleet averaged 25.2%)
  - 4.2% of vehicles were self-exempted by DOE (Federal fleet averaged 18.9%)

#### Renewable fuel availability at agency fleet fueling centers

4 out of 4 (100%) DOE fleet fueling centers have renewable fuel available (compliance threshold is 100%; Federal Government averaged 66%)

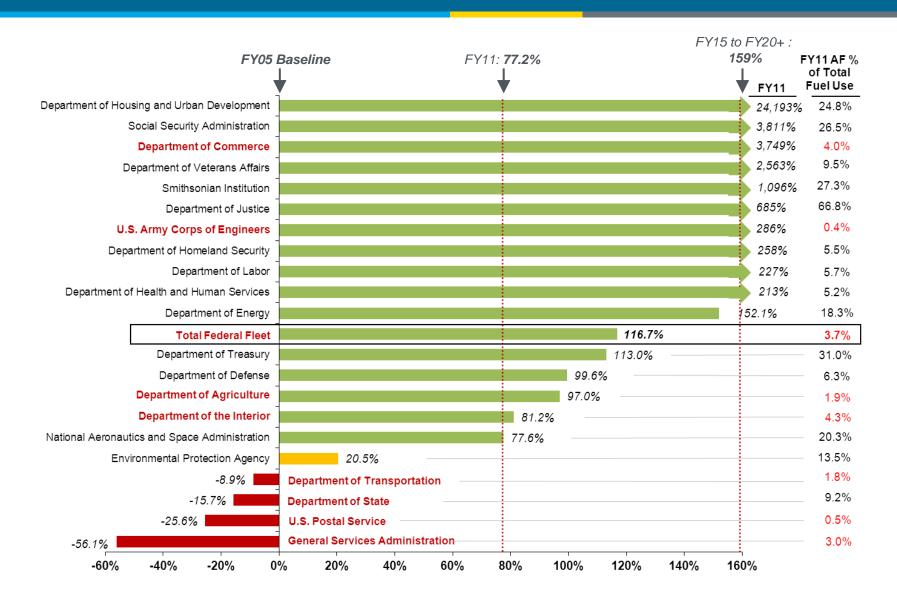
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# Change in Alternative Fuel Consumption, 2005-2011





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